

### AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A racket string correction tool, capable of moving a displaced string ~~and wedge it in~~ using a notch and/or hook, and cutting ~~it a string~~ to balance the tension of ~~the accidentally cut~~ a string section at an off-centered point, ~~characterized because it has both actuators~~ wherein the notch, hook, and cutting device are combined in a single longitudinal body, said tool comprising a hilt, said hilt comprising a first end provided with an actuating point defined by a gradual reduction in its section, with two lateral faces distally converging as a wedge with a transversal notch to which the string may be forced and a lateral appendage that provides a hook, and a second end, which axially forms a cap ~~whose most outstanding point presents~~ including ~~a notch that houses the cutting edge of a blade, assembled with a depth that exceeds, at least, the string half section.~~
2. (Original) A tool for adjusting placement and tension of racket strings, said tool comprising:  
  
a hilt having a first portion and a second portion, wherein the first portion comprises an  
  
actuating end including a hook and two lateral faces distally converging as a wedge  
  
near the hook; and  
  
wherein a second portion includes a blade for cutting a racket string.
3. (Original) The tool of claim 2, further comprising grooves formed on the hilt.
4. (New) A racket string aligning device having three tools combined in a single longitudinal body;  
  
said device comprising a hilt;

said hilt comprising a first end having two lateral faces distally converging to form a wedge with a transverse notch in which a string may be forced and a lateral appendage that provides a hook; and

said hilt further comprising a second end including a notch which houses a cutting edge.

5. (New) A tool for aligning racket strings, said tool comprising:

a hilt having first and second opposing portions;

said first portion comprising a hook and two lateral faces distally converging to form a wedge adjacent to the hook; and

said second portion comprising a blade for cutting the racket string.